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FOR VERIFYING THE CUT QUALITY OF
A SHEET USING IMAGE SCANNING
(as amended)

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO *EX PARTE* QUAYLE ACTION

MS: Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the *Ex Parte Quayle* Action dated July 21, 2008, Applicant hereby submits the following Amendment and Reply. It is not believed that extensions of time or other fees are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. If, however, additional extensions of time are needed to prevent abandonment of this application, such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims or any other fee deficiency), are hereby authorized to be charged, and any overpayments credited to, our Deposit Account No. 22-0261, referencing our docket number 47588-228850. Please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of the Claims which begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.